

## NOTICE REGARDING APPEAL

You may have the right to contest the Washington State Department of Health's (Department's) October 20, 2005 decision to renew the site operator's license for the commercial low-level radioactive waste disposal site in Richland, Washington and impose closure requirements through amendment to US Ecology's Radioactive Materials License #WN-I019-2, and to contest the adequacy of the Final Environmental Impact Statement for the commercial low-level radioactive waste disposal site under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA). Any appeal of the Department's decision and related SEPA issues must be filed in the form of a Petition for Judicial Review pursuant to RCW 34.05.570(4). Under RCW 34.05.514(1), such a petition may be filed, at the petitioner's option, in the superior court for (a) Thurston County, (b) the county of the petitioner's residence or principal place of business, or (c) in any county where the property owned by the petitioner and affected by the contested decision is located. Pursuant to RCW 34.05.542, the petition must be filed with the court and served on the Department of Health, the Office of the Attorney General, and all other parties of record no later than November 21, 2005 (time is extended during any period that the petitioner did not know and was under no duty to discover or could not reasonably have discovered that the agency had taken the action or that the agency action had a sufficient effect to confer standing upon the petitioner to obtain judicial review under chapter 34.05 RCW).